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This is a partner activity.

Each pair needs:

- 1 protractor
- 1 yellow half-sheet of paper
- 1 writing instrument
- 1 pair of scissors

- Draw three different triangles on one side of the paper.
- Each partner carefully measures the three angles of each triangle and finds the sum of the angles of each triangle.
- Compare your sums with your partner. If they are not the same, come up with some reasons why they might differ.
- Carefully cut out the triangles and label the three corners of each.
- Carefully tear one of the three triangles into three sections each so that one corner from the triangle is on each piece.
- Arrange the pieces of one triangle so that the vertices meet.
- Continue with the other two triangles.
- Propose a conjecture for your results.

In mathematics, a **conjecture** is a mathematical statement which appears to be true, but has not been formally proven. A **conjecture** can be thought of as the mathematicians way of saying “I believe that this is true, but I have no proof yet”. A **conjecture** is a good guess or an idea about a pattern.

4.1 Triangle Sum Conjecture

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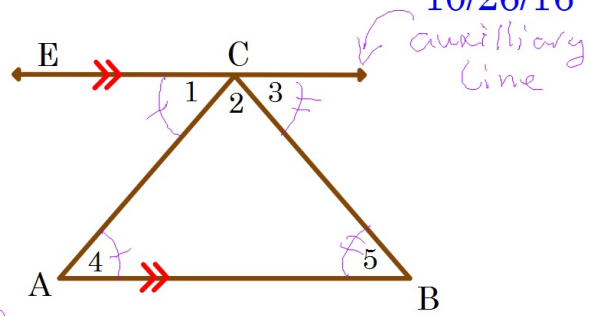
$$\angle 1 + \angle 2 + \angle 3 = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle 1 \cong \angle 4 \text{ AIA}$$

$$\angle 3 \cong \angle 5 \text{ AIA}$$

$$\angle 4 + \angle 2 + \angle 5 = 180^\circ$$

If we have a triangle,
then the sum of the angles
is 180°

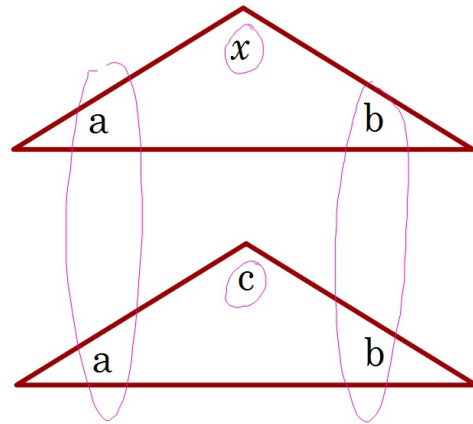


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Third Angle Conjecture

If we have two triangles
with two congruent angles,
then the third angle is also
congruent



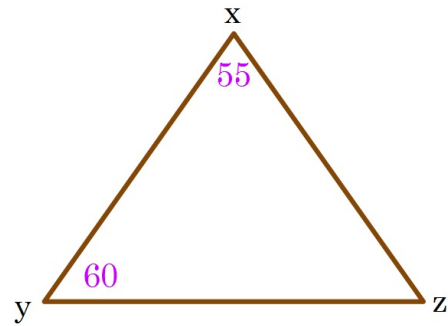
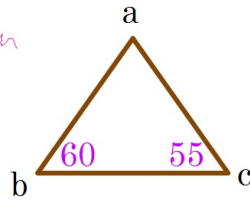
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$\angle b \cong \angle y$ Given

$\angle x \cong \angle c$ Given

$\angle z \cong \angle a$ via
the 3rd Angle
Conjecture



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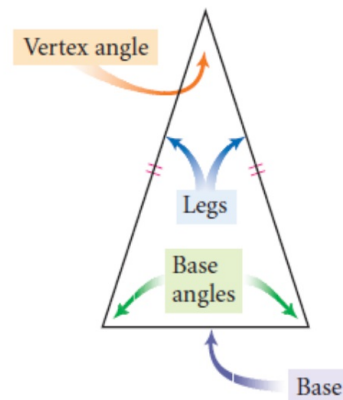
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Exercises DG pp. 200-201 #1-22 Evens, #9
With a partner

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Complete Investigation 1 on p. 205 and complete the Isosceles Triangle Conjecture.

Isosceles Triangle Conjecture

If a triangle is isosceles, then the base angles are congruent.

IWBAT discover a relationship between the base angles of an isosceles triangle.

4.2 Properties of Special Triangles

Is the converse true?

Perform the Investigation on p. 206 and complete the converse below.

Converse of the Isosceles Triangle Conjecture

If a triangle has two congruent angles, then

it is an isosceles triangle



IWBAT discover a relationship between the base angles of an isosceles triangle.

4.2 Properties of Special Triangles

$$\frac{180 - 22}{2} = m\angle H$$

Exercises DG pp. 206-207 #1-8, 10, 11

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$$f = \frac{9}{5}c + 32$$

Slope-intercept
 $y = mx + b$

$$c = \frac{5}{9}(f - 32)$$

$$y = m(x - a)$$

$$f - 212 = \frac{9}{5}(c - 100)$$

$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$
 point-slope

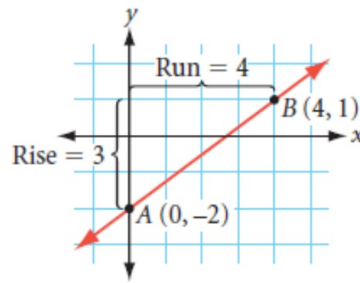
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Writing Linear Equations

Find the equation of \overleftrightarrow{AB} from its graph.



$$y = \frac{3}{4}x - 2$$

Point-Slope - $y + 2 = \frac{3}{4}(x + 0)$

$y - y_1 \quad y - -2$

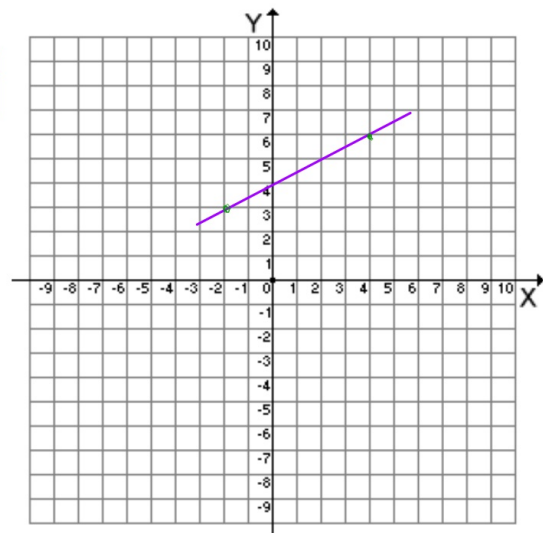
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Writing Linear Equations

Given points C(4, 6) and D(-2, 3), find the equation of \overleftrightarrow{CD} .

$$y - 3 = \frac{1}{2}(x + 2)$$

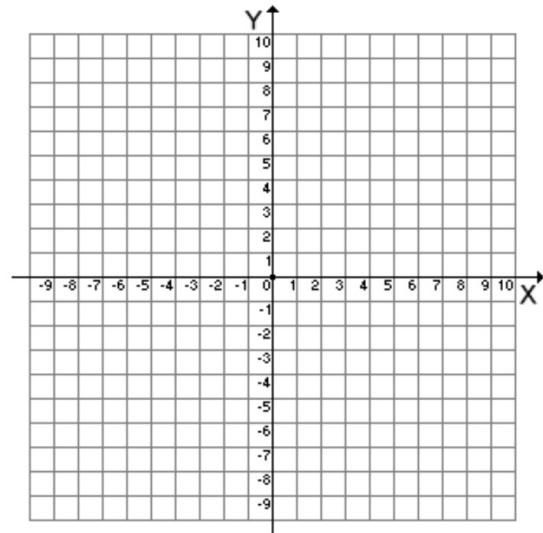
$$y = \frac{1}{2}x + 4$$



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Writing Linear Equations

Find the equation of the perpendicular bisector of the segment with endpoints (2, 9) and (-6, -7).



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Writing Linear Equations

Exercises p.212 #4-8, 11

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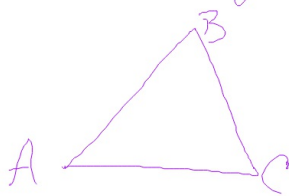
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4.3 Triangle Inequalities

Can you form a triangle using sticks of any three lengths?

2 sides shorter together than third side Δ ✗
 2 sides together equal the third side Δ ✗
 2 sides together longer than 3RD side Δ ✓



$$\overline{AB} + \overline{BC} > \overline{CA}$$

TRIANGLE Inequality Conjecture
 The sum of any two sides of a triangle is greater than the length of the third side.

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4.3 Triangle Inequalities

Each person at your table should do each construction.
Compare results at your table when you finish.

Investigation 1 p.214

Construct: $\triangle CAT$

Construct: $\triangle FSH$

Triangle Inequality Conjecture

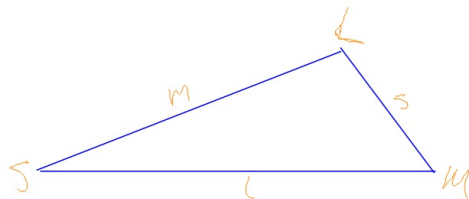
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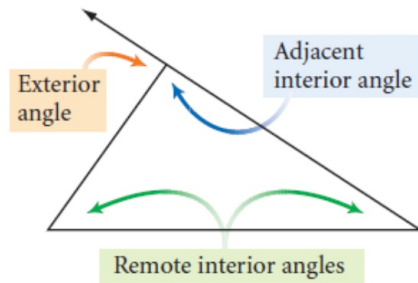
Each person should draw a different scalene triangle for this investigation. Some should draw acute triangles, and some should draw obtuse triangles.

1. Measure the angles in your triangle. Label the angle with greatest measure $\angle L$, the angle with second greatest measure $\angle M$, and the smallest angle $\angle S$.
2. Measure the three sides. Label the longest side l , the second longest side m , and the shortest side s .
3. Which side is opposite $\angle L$? $\angle M$? $\angle S$?

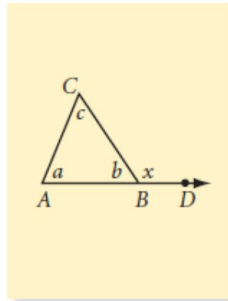


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4.3 Triangle Inequalities



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Triangle Exterior Angle Conjecture

The measure of an exterior angle of a triangle is equal to the sum of the remote interior angles

Since $A+B+C=180^\circ$
and $x+b=180^\circ$
then $x=A+C$

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4.3 Triangle Inequalities

Exercises pp.216-217 #2-16 evens

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4.4 Are there congruence shortcuts?

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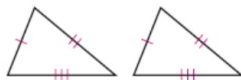
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4.4 Are there congruence shortcuts?

We will look at these congruence shortcuts to see if they are actually ones we can use to say that two triangles are congruent.

Side-Side-Side (SSS)



Three pairs of congruent sides

Side-Angle-Side (SAS)



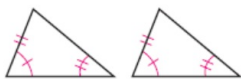
Two pairs of congruent sides and one pair of congruent angles (angles between the pairs of sides)

Angle-Side-Angle (ASA)



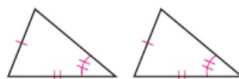
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Side-Angle-Angle (SAA)



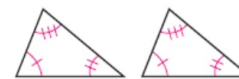
Two pairs of congruent angles and one pair of congruent sides (sides not between the pairs of angles)

Side-Side-Angle (SSA)



Two pairs of congruent sides and one pair of congruent angles (angles not between the pairs of sides)

Angle-Angle-Angle (AAA)



Three pairs of congruent angles

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4.4 Are there congruence shortcuts?

Is **Side-Side-Side (SSS)** a congruence shortcut?



Three pairs of congruent sides

Everyone at your table shall construct their own triangle from the same three segments. Compare your triangles with each other. What do you notice?

1in, 1in, $\frac{1}{2}$ in yes
 4cm, 6cm, 7cm yes
 2in, 3in, $2\frac{3}{8}$ in yes

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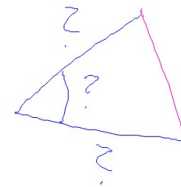
SSS Congruence Conjecture

If the three sides of one triangle are congruent to the three sides of another triangle, then the triangles are congruent.

Is **Side-Angle-Side (SAS)** a congruence shortcut?



Two pairs of congruent sides and one pair of congruent angles (angles between the pairs of sides)



Everyone at your table shall construct their own triangle from the same two segments and included angle. Compare your triangles with each other. What do you notice?

2in, 90° , $1\frac{7}{8}$ in yes
 1in, 50° , $1\frac{1}{2}$ in yes
 2cm, 50° , 2.3cm yes

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SAS Congruence Conjecture

If two sides and the included angle of one triangle are congruent to two sides and the included angle of another triangle, then the triangles are congruent

Is **Side-Side-Angle (SSA)** a congruence shortcut?



Two pairs of congruent sides and one pair of congruent angles (angles not between the pairs of sides)



Everyone at your table shall construct their own triangle from the same two segments and non-included angle.

Compare your triangles with each other. What do you notice?

$2\frac{1}{2}, 2, 70^\circ$

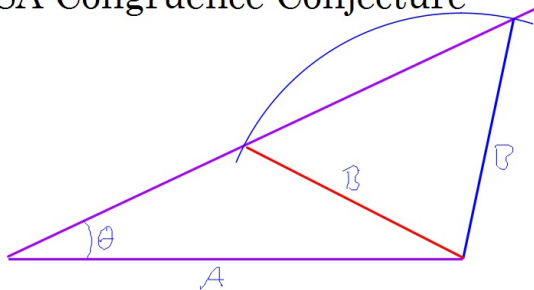
$1, 2, 29^\circ$

$5, 6, 43^\circ$

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SSA Congruence Conjecture



Cannot use SSA to prove Congruence.

Exercises pp.222-223 #1-5 odd, 9-15 odd

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4.5 Are there other congruence shortcuts?

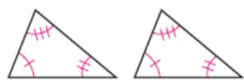
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Is **Angle-Angle-Angle (AAA)** a congruence shortcut?



Three pairs of congruent angles

$50^\circ, 50^\circ, 80^\circ$ No
 $50^\circ, 60^\circ, 70^\circ$ No

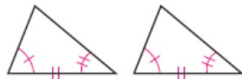
Everyone at your table shall construct their own triangle from the same three angles. Compare your triangles with each other. What do you notice?

AAA is not a congruency shortcut.

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Is **Angle-Side-Angle (ASA)** a congruence shortcut?



Two pairs of congruent angles
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sides (sides between the pairs
of angles)

$40^\circ, 3\text{in}, 60^\circ$ yes

$24^\circ, 5\text{cm}, 100^\circ$ yes

Everyone at your table shall construct their own triangle from the same two angles and included segment. Compare your triangles with each other. What do you notice?

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ASA Congruence Conjecture

If two angles and the included side of one triangle are congruent to two angles and the included side of another triangle, then the two triangles are congruent

Is **Side-Angle-Angle (SAA)** a congruence shortcut?



Two pairs of congruent angles
and one pair of congruent
sides (sides not between the
pairs of angles)

Everyone at your table shall construct their own triangle from the same two angles and non-included segment. Compare your triangles with each other. What do you notice?

$2\text{in}, 40^\circ, 50^\circ$ yes

$4\text{cm}, 90^\circ, 55^\circ$ yes

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4.5 Are there other congruence shortcuts?

SAA Congruence Conjecture

If two angles and a non-included side of one triangle are congruent to the corresponding angles and side of another triangle, then the two triangles are congruent

SSS SAA
SAS ASA

Exercises pp.227-228 #2-14 evens

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4.6 Corresponding parts of congruent triangles

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IWBAT show that pairs of angles or pairs of sides are congruent by identifying related triangles and proving them congruent, then applying CPCTC.

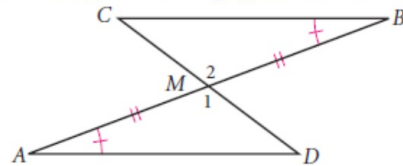
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4.6 Corresponding parts of congruent triangles

In the last two lessons, you discovered four shortcuts for showing that two triangles are congruent—SSS, SAS, ASA, and SAA. The definition of congruent triangles states that if two triangles are congruent, then the corresponding parts of those congruent triangles are congruent. We'll use the letters CPCTC to refer to the definition.

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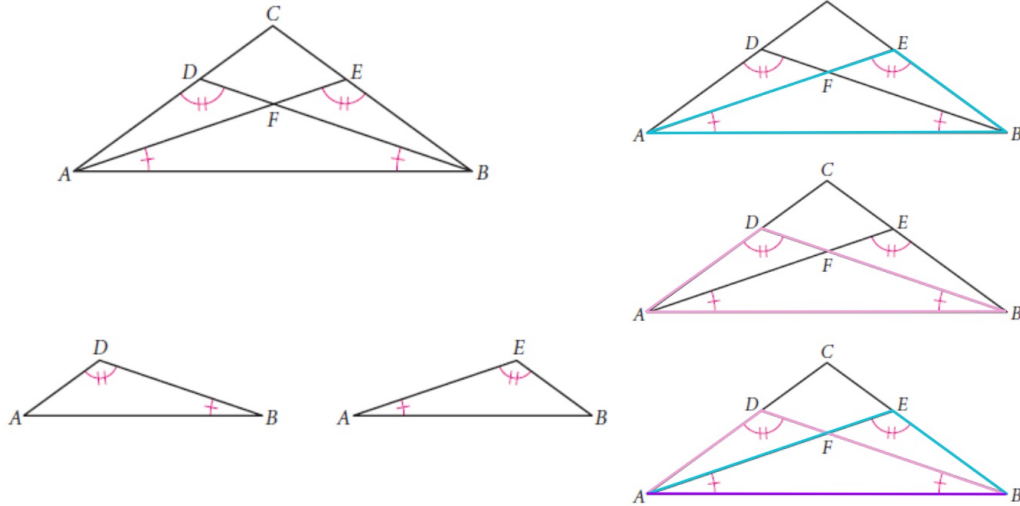
Is $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{BC}$ in the figure above? Use a deductive argument to explain why they must be congruent.

$\angle A \cong \angle B$ given, also $\overline{AM} \cong \overline{BM}$ as given $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$ because they are vertical angles, so $\triangle MAD \cong \triangle MBC$ via ASA Therefore $\overline{AD} \cong \overline{BC}$ via CPCTC

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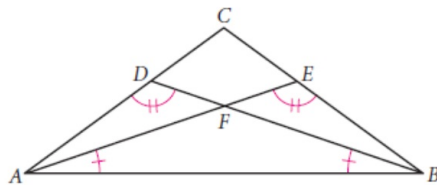
Is $\overline{AE} \cong \overline{BD}$? Write a paragraph proof explaining why.



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4.6 Corresponding parts of congruent triangles

Is $\overline{AE} \cong \overline{BD}$? Write a paragraph proof explaining why.



$\angle ADB \cong \angle BEA$ as given, and $\angle BAE \cong \angle ABD$ as given
 $\overline{AB} \cong \overline{BA}$ because they are the same segment.
 $\triangle ADB \cong \triangle BEA$ via SAA(AAS)
 $\overline{AE} \cong \overline{BD}$ via CPCTC

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4.6 Corresponding parts of congruent triangles

Exercises p. 231 #1-5, 7-9

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4.7 Flowchart Thinking

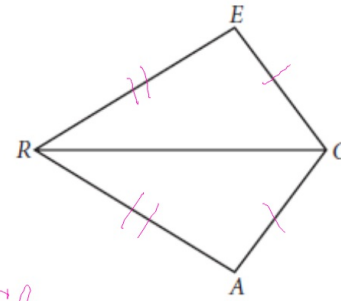
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4.7 Flowchart Thinking

In the figure at right, $\overline{EC} \cong \overline{AC}$ and $\overline{ER} \cong \overline{AR}$. Is $\angle A \cong \angle E$? If so, give a logical argument to explain why they are congruent.



It is given that $\overline{EC} \cong \overline{AC}$ and that $\overline{ER} \cong \overline{AR}$. $\overline{RC} \cong \overline{RC}$ because they are the same segment. $\triangle RCE \cong \triangle RCA$ via SSS. $\angle A \cong \angle E$ via CPCTC.

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4.7 Flowchart Thinking

A flowchart is a concept map that shows all the steps in a complicated procedure in proper order. Arrows connect the boxes to show how facts lead to conclusions.

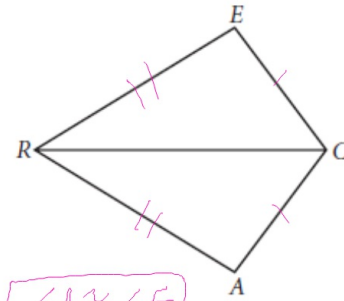
Flowcharts make your logic visible so that others can follow your reasoning. To present your reasoning in flowchart form, create a **flowchart proof**. Place each statement in a box. Write the logical reason for each statement beneath its box.

A flow chart proof is a visual representation of your thinking so that others can learn.

IWBAT create flowchart proofs.

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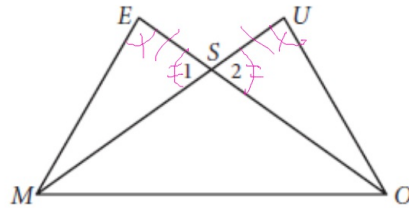


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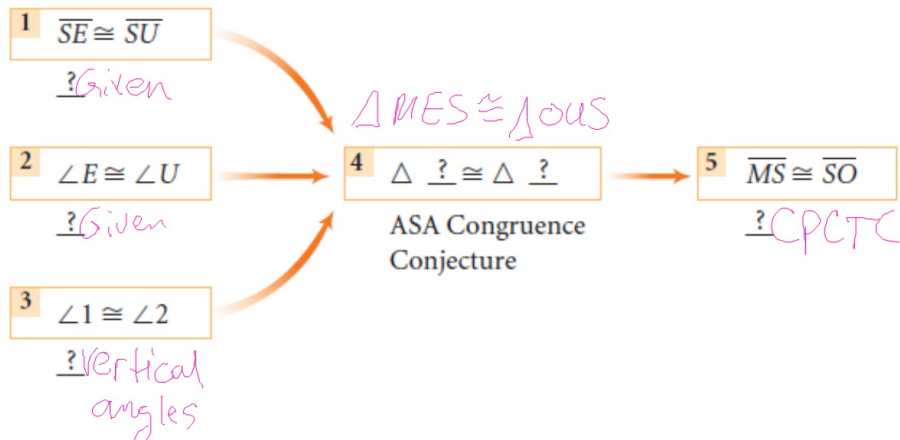
4.7 Flowchart Thinking

2. Copy the flowchart. Provide each missing reason or statement in the proof.

Given: $\overline{SE} \cong \overline{SU}$
 $\angle E \cong \angle U$
Show: $\overline{MS} \cong \overline{OS}$



Flowchart Proof



IWBAT create flowchart proofs.

4.7 Flowchart Thinking

Exercises pp. 237-238 #3, 4, 5, 7, 10

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4.8 Proving Isosceles Triangle Conjectures

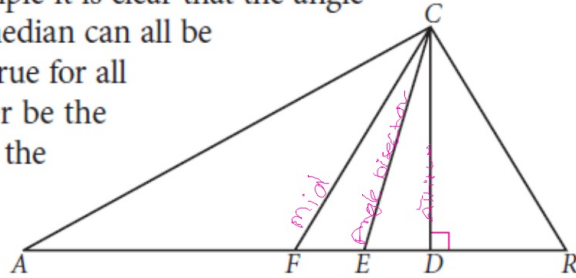
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First, consider a scalene triangle. In $\triangle ARC$, \overline{CD} is the altitude to the base \overline{AR} , \overline{CE} is the angle bisector of $\angle ACR$, and \overline{CF} is the median to the base \overline{AR} . From this example it is clear that the angle bisector, the altitude, and the median can all be different line segments. Is this true for all triangles? Can two of these ever be the same segment? Can they all be the same segment?



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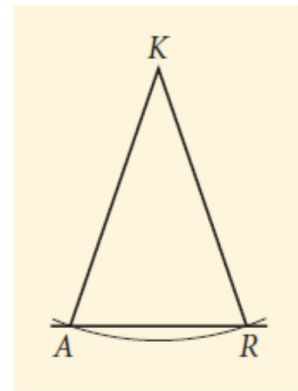
Construct a large isosceles triangle on a sheet of paper. Label it ARK , with K the vertex angle.

Construct angle bisector \overline{KD} with point D on \overline{AR} . Do $\triangle ADK$ and $\triangle RDK$ look congruent? If they are congruent, then \overline{KD} is a line of symmetry.

With your compass, compare \overline{AD} and \overline{RD} . Is D the midpoint of \overline{AR} ? If D is the midpoint, then what type of special segment is \overline{KD} ?

Compare $\angle ADK$ and $\angle RDK$. Do they have equal measures? Are they supplementary? What conclusion can you make?

Compare your conjectures with the results of other students. Now combine the two conjectures from Steps 3 and 4 into one.



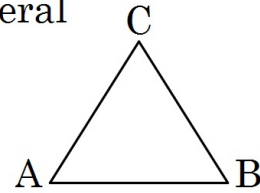
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Vertex Angle Bisector Conjecture

In an isosceles triangle, the bisector of the vertex angle is also an altitude and a median.

Prove that this conjecture also applies to equilateral triangles by constructing your own equilateral triangle labeled ABC.



Write up your results as a paragraph proof.

Compare your proof with at least one partner at your table and discuss your results.

Working with a partner, convert your paragraph proof to a flowchart proof.

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4.8 Proving Isosceles Triangle Conjectures

Equilateral/Equiangular Triangle Conjecture

Every equilateral triangle is equiangular, and, conversely, every equiangular triangle is equilateral.

The *Equilateral/Equiangular Triangle Conjecture* is a biconditional conjecture: Both the statement and its converse are true. A triangle is equilateral if and only if it is equiangular. One condition cannot be true unless the other is also true.

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4.8 Proving Isosceles Triangle Conjectures

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